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APPLICATION OF SOUTHWESTERN ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY FOR AUTHORITY TO CHANGE RATES BEFORE:THE STATE OFFICE FILING CLEAR

**OF** 

ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

# JOINT PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE REGARDING RATE CASE EXPENSES

**COMES NOW** the Staff (Staff) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission), Southwestern Electric Power Company (SWEPCO), Cities Advocating for Reasonable Deregulation (CARD), Office of Public Utility Counsel (OPUC), and Texas Industrial Energy Consumers (TIEC) (collectively, the Parties) and file this Joint Proposed Procedural Schedule Regarding Rate Case Expenses. In support thereof, the Parties show the following:

#### I. JOINT PROPOSED PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

On November 23, 2020, the State Office of Administrative Hearings (SOAH) Administrative Law Judges (ALJs) filed SOAH Order No. 2 adopting a procedural schedule in this docket. The Parties seek to modify the procedural schedule in SOAH Order No. 2 to address rate case expenses. The Parties propose the following procedural schedule below:

CARD Rate Case Expense Testimony and	April 8, 2021
SWEPCO Supplemental Rate Case Expense	
Report	
Supplemental Direct Testimony on Rate Case	May 5, 2021
Expenses	
SWEPCO and CARD Supplemental Rebuttal	May 12, 2021
Testimony on Rate Case Expenses	

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#### II. CONCLUSION

The Parties respectfully request adoption of the above proposed procedural schedule regarding rate case expenses.

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that, unless otherwise ordered by the presiding officer, notice of the filing of this document was provided to all parties of record via electronic mail on March 31, 2021, in accordance with the Order Suspending Rules, issued in Project No. 50664

/s/ Rashmin J. Asher Rashmin J. Asher

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> No other intervenors expressed a position regarding the filing of rate case expense updates and testimony.